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Act 1426 of 2001 Metering devices

- According to Act 1426, any well constructed after September 30th, 2001 to withdraw ground water from a sustaining aquifer, shall be equipped with a properly functioning metering device.
- After September 30th, 2006 any well withdrawing ground water from a sustaining aquifer shall have a properly functioning metering device.
- ◆ The aquifers that will be affected are "sustaining aquifers". These aquifers include the Sparta, Memphis, Cockfield, Cane River, Carrizo, Wilcox, Nacatoch, Roubidoux and Gunter. The alluvial aquifer is not considered a "sustaining aquifer".
- Domestic Wells are exempt.

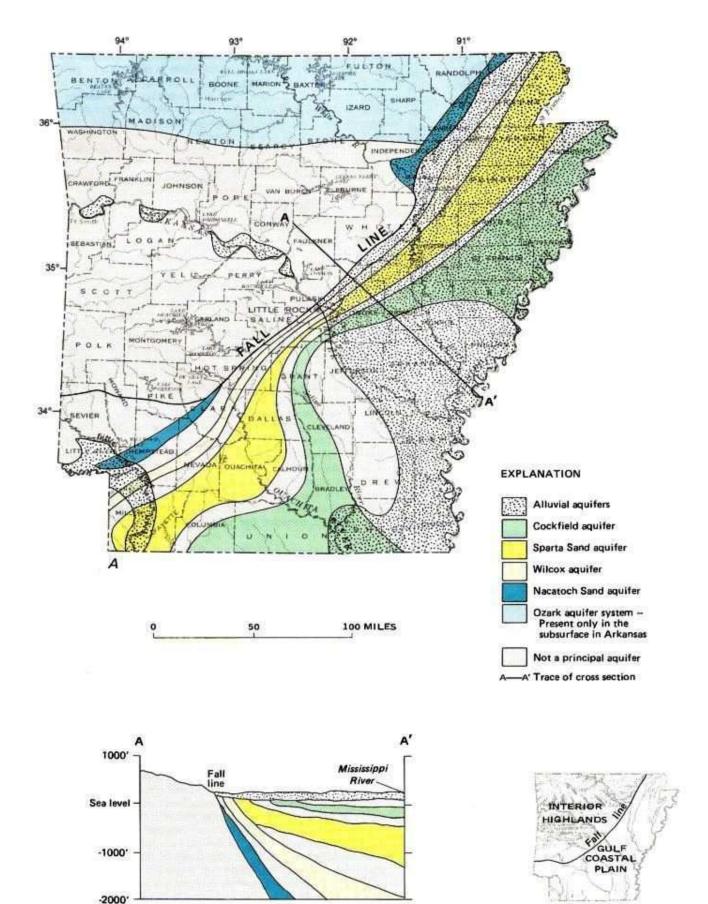
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Figure 1. Principal aquifers in Arkansas. A, Geographic distribution. B, Physiographic diagram and divisions. C, Generalized cross section (A-A'). (See table 2 for a more detailed description of the aquifers. Sources: A,C, Ludwig, 1972 and compiled by A. H. Ludwig from U. S. Geological Survey files. B, Raisz, 1954.)